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SUBJECT: CONGRESS OF WORLD UNITY

REF: NEW DELHI OM, OCT. 29

FOR USIS.

1. CONGRESS OF WORLD UNITY WAS RECENTLY RECOGNIZED BY NATIONAL BICENTENNIAL ADMINISTRATION AS OFFICIAL BICENTENNIAL EVENT. DEPARTMENT CONTINUES TO FACILITATE PREPATORY EFFORTS OF WORLD UNITED, INC., THE ORGANIZERS OF THE CONGRESS, UNDER SPONSORSHIP OF PENNSYLVANIA BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION.

2. MR. P.G. BHAVNANI IS SALARIED REPRESENTATIVE OF WORLD UNITED FOR SOUTH ASIA DIVISION. DEPARTMENT IS INFORMED HE HAS LOW COST CHARTER ARRANGEMENT WITH AIR INDIA FOR 21-DAY TRIP. PHILADELPHIA FAMILIES WILL PROVIDE HOME STAYS OF 8-10 DAYS. HOTEL COSTS FOR REMAINING PERIOD INCLUDED IN CHARTER PRICE. WORLD UNITED AFFIRMS ABILITY TO RECEIVE 200 INDIAN FAMILIES.

3. HOME HOSPITALITY PROGRAM CONNECTED WITH CONGRESS IS UNCLASSIFIED

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ENTITLED "LATCHSTRING 1976" AND HAS AS GOAL TOTAL OF 1,000

OR MORE FAMILIES FROM APPROXIMATELY 40 COUNTRIES.

4. NEW DELHI OM INCLUDED COPY OF BHAVNANI LETTER TO
TIMES OF INDIA BUT DID NOT INCLUDE USIS BOMBAY OM. INGERSOLL

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